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## RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL AND FEE AUTHORIZATION

| JAN 2 8 2005 E        | ATTORNEY DOCKET No. 15162/03910 |                       | APPLICATION No. 09/942,893     |                        |
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| AUGUST 30, 2001       | CONFIRMATION NO. 9827           | CUSTOMER NO.<br>24367 | EXAMINER<br>YOGESH K. AGGARWAL | GROUP ART UNIT<br>2615 |
| APPLICANT(S): HIRO    | NORI SUMITOMO AND               | NORIYUKI OKISU        |                                |                        |
| TITLE OF INVENTION: I | MAGE TAKING APPAI               | RATUS                 |                                |                        |

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. BOX 1450 ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTED HEREWITH FOR THE ABOVE IDENTIFIED PATENT APPLICATION IS:

(A) A response to the Office Action dated: August 25, 2004

(B) A Petition for Extension of Time

 $\square$  for 1 month  $\boxtimes$  for 2 months  $\square$  for 3 months;

A Petition for Extension of Time, having been previously filed,

for 1 month for 2 months for 3 months

(C) A Notice of Appeal. \$

(D) An Appellant's Brief on Appeal. \$

\_\_\_\_ (E) Other: . :

(F) A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27

Small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been previously established

The claims fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below

| -        | CLAIMS<br>REMAINING<br>AFTER<br>AMENDMENT |             | HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | Present<br>Extra |
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| SMALL ENTITY |  |  |
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January 25, 2005
Date of Deposit

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Representative

Signature

January 25, 2005

Date of Signature

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| RATE               | Add'l Fee |
|--------------------|-----------|
| x \$100            | \$        |
| x \$25             |           |
| + \$180            |           |
| TOTAL<br>ADD'L FEE | \$ 0.00   |

LARGE ENTITY

|    | RATE               | ADD'L FEE |
|----|--------------------|-----------|
| OR | x \$50             | \$ 0.00   |
|    | x \$200            | 0.00      |
|    | + \$360            |           |
| ·  | TOTAL<br>ADD'L FEE | \$ 0.00   |

| $\boxtimes$ | Please charge \$450.00 to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260, which includes                             |
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|             | the amount of for the claims fee calculated above AND/OR   |
|             | $\boxtimes$ the amount of \$450.00 for the fee for item(s) $\boxtimes$ (B) $\square$ (C) $\square$ (D) $\square$ (E) $\square$ (F) |
|             | Please charge any additional fees (other than issue fee) required during the pendency of this application                          |
|             | to Deposit Account No. 18-1260. Please credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-1260.                                      |
| $\boxtimes$ | A duplicate copy of this Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization is enclosed.   |
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